Prescription Drug Disposal

Saturday, December 11, 2010 12 p.m. – 4 p.m. Balzer Field in Los Gatos

"Drugs that are unused or expired should be retired"



- Over the past decade-and-a-half, the number of teen and young adult (ages 12-25) new abusers of prescription painkillers such as oxycodone (OxyContin) or hydrocodone (Vicodin) has grown five-fold (from 400,000 in the mid-eighties to 2 million in 2000).
- New misusers of tranquilizers such as diazepam (Valium) or alprazolam
 (Xanax) went up nearly 50 percent in one year (700,000 in 1999 to 1 million in
 2000). These medication are normally used to treat anxiety or tension.
 (Source = http://drugrehabs.org)

Dispose of unused or expired prescription drugs safely Balzer Field in Los Gatos



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